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LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING PLATES AND THE LIKE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to or concurrent with calculation of the filing fees, please amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Applicants have attached to this Preliminary Amendment documents entitled "Amended Claims" and "'Marked-up' Copy of the Previous Claims". Please replace present claims 8, 9, 13, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21 and 22 in this application with amended claims 8, 9, 13, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21 and 22 shown in the document entitled "Amended Claims".

REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Preliminary Amendment courteously are solicited prior to or concurrent with calculation of the filing fees with respect to the claim set presented with the Preliminary Examination Report being filed herewith.